

June 5, 1939.

Mr. Frank D. Lawrence,  
American National Bank,  
Portsmouth, Va.

Dear Sir:

On May 25th I wrote you and asked would you rent the Park to me on June 29th for a Negro National League Baseball. Since then we have decided to return to Newark and play that night, as we feel it might be more profitable.

I would, however, like very much to play in Portsmouth on my next trip South, when we make up our next half schedule, which will run from July 4th to Sept. 15th. I will plan on arranging for some of the League Teams to come to Portsmouth on days when your Team is on the road. I will write you again as soon as definite dates could be decided on.

Thanking you very much for your offer of the Park.

Very truly yours,

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